

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/531,672 Confirmation No. 1913
Applicant : Alastair R. Buckley et al.
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Title : METHOD OF PATTERNING A FUNCTIONAL
MATERIAL ON TO A SUBSTRATE

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This is a response to the written Restriction Requirement dated May 22, 2006. A Petition for a One Month Extension of Time with fee is submitted herewith to extend the deadline for response from June 22, 2006 to July 22, 2006.

Applicants elect to prosecute the Group I claims (1-4, 29 and 34-57) drawn to a method of patterning a functional group onto a substrate and a device having a substrate patterned with an electroluminescent material. This election is made without traverse.

Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application for the non-elected Group II claims (30-32 and 58) drawn to an optoelectronic device.

Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment for entering this Response to our deposit account no. 08-3040.

Respectfully submitted,
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